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Mark your calendars now for PTE Summer Conference June 14-16, 2010 Boise, Idaho

### Stateside Q&A with Glenn Orthel

By Angie Neal

Q. Is it possible to add a <u>math endorsement</u> to my business education or marketing technology teaching certificate?

A. Yes, the easiest way to do that is through the alternative route to add an endorsement to your current teaching certificate. Go the State Department of Education website and look at teacher certification and alternative routes. You will see four or five routes—look at them and decide which is best for you.

SDOE Certification: <a href="http://www.sde.idaho.gov/site/teacher\_certification/">http://www.sde.idaho.gov/site/teacher\_certification/</a>

Alternative Authorizations/Routes to Certification (Alternate Routes to Teaching in Idaho) <a href="http://www.sde.idaho.gov/site/teacher\_certification/alt\_routes.htm">http://www.sde.idaho.gov/site/teacher\_certification/alt\_routes.htm</a>

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### **Idaho Business Education Association**

#### The deadline for the spring IBEA newsletter is April 28.

Please submit activities that you have been doing in your classroom or with you student organization.

Also, if anyone has pictures of the guest speaker or the officer team at the State BPA/DECA conference, please send a copy to Bobbie Peet: bpeet@sd41.k12.id.us

### **PTE Summer Conference**

By Angie Neal

Boise - June 14-16, 2010

Schedules and conference information available online:

http://www.pte.idaho.gov/SummerConference/SummerConferenceHome.htm

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### **Meet IBEA President-elect**

By Sarah Hatfield

Hello fellow Business Educators, I am Sarah Hatfield and I am the president-elect for the Idaho Business Education Association (IBEA). I hope your school year has been going well and the last few weeks of school go by without any complications. If you are currently not a member of IBEA I encourage you to join. A great conference is being planned for the state in-service days on October 7-8 in the greater Boise area. If you would like to join IBEA or are already a member, but would like to present at the conference, please contact me at <a href="matfields@nsd135.org">hatfields@nsd135.org</a>. I look forward to seeing you all at the summer conference in June and then again at the fall conference in October.

Mark your calendars now for IBEA Fall Conference October 7-8. 2010

# IBEA Award Nominations due May 4, 2010

A list of the awards is posted on the IBEA page of the CTEI Web site <a href="http://ctei.org/divisions/IBEA.html">http://ctei.org/divisions/IBEA.html</a>

Nominations for all awards must be postmarked by May 4, 2010: Ms. Misty Berrett
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All awards will be presented at the 2010 IBEA Annual Conference.



Glenn Orthel, Certification Specialist shares into on obtaining math endorsement.

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Q. Do I have to take a Praxis exam to obtain a math endorsement?

A. Yes, there are two math Praxis tests. One is for basic math to teach grades 6-12. That endorsement allows you to teach up to Algebra I, this would include Business Math. The second is a math 6-12 which allows you to teach all math classes.

http://www.sde.idaho.gov/site/teacher\_certification/subject\_area.htm#28

#### Q. How do I study for Praxis II test?

A. Idaho State University offers an online, self-directed, hands-on preparation course to prepare for taking the Praxis II. Information is available on their website:

http://ed.isu.edu/student resources/praxis II.shtml

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# **High School Sports Marketing Summit**

By Chris Lindauer

Looking for a great reason to sneak away to Las Vegas this summer?

Look no further than the 2010 High School Sports Marketing Summit hosted by Sports Career Consulting. For those looking for ways to generate revenue for your school programs and ideas for marketing school sports, this is a conference you'll definitely want to attend. You will get so many ideas for creating new revenue sources AND building unique education experiences for your students that you <u>can't afford</u> to miss it!

The event will take place at Mandalay Bay (with a great deal on room rates) on July 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup>. Here is a link for more details and registration information: www.sportscareerconsulting.com/summerconference.

To book your room using the conference group rate at Mandalay Bay, call 877-632-7000 or book online at: https://resweb.passkey.com/go/xspcc2.



# **NEFE High School Financial Planning**

By Lyle Hansen

I wanted to share some good news with everybody! We could all use some with all of the budget cuts, housing crisis and the other bad news! I am pleased to announce that the University of Idaho Extension and the Idaho Credit Union League because of a generous grant will be offering four NEFE High School Financial Planning Program Teacher Trainings throughout Idaho this June! Follow this link for the flyer with the dates and locations:

http://www.extension.uidaho.edu/jerome/NEFE%20HSFPP/2010Registrationform.pdf.

We ask that even if you have attended one of our trainings in the past that you consider coming again. We would also like to ask you to please help us market these trainings by sharing this email with others who would benefit from attending. We feel that the NEFE High School Financial Planning Program is a great way to educate Idaho's youth about personal finance and in light of budget crunches it is important to point out that the student guides and supporting materials are still FREE! We look forward to seeing several of you this June! If you have any questions or would like to register please email or call me at the contact information below.

University of Idaho Extension, 324-7578, lhansen@uidaho.edu

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# **BPA/DECA Sponsor Appreciation**

A great big "thank you" to Konica Minolta for sponsoring the printing of the BPA and DECA conference programs for the 2010 BPA/DECA Career Development Leadership Conference.

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# National Technical Honor Society (NTHS)

By Author Name

Flat Rock, NC - January 25, 2010 -- The acknowledged leader in the recognition of outstanding student achievement in career and technical education, National Technical Honor Society (NTHS) is celebrating its 25<sup>th</sup> year.

Founded in 1984 by C. Allen Powell and the late Jon H. Poteat, NTHS began at H. B. Swofford Career Center in Inman, South Carolina.

From its humble beginnings at one career center, the Society now serves over 2,800 schools and colleges, with membership continuing to grow each year. H.B. Swofford Career Center still has an active and thriving NTHS chapter.

One way NTHS recognizes top CTE students is through scholarships. Named in honor and

memory of its co-founder, the Jon H. Poteat scholarship fund will award 55, \$1,000 scholarships this school year. In addition, NTHS will award 20, \$1000 scholarships in conjunction with its Career Technical Student Organization partners - SkillsUSA, FBLA/PBL, FCCLA, DECA, HOSA and BPA.

Member schools agree that NTHS encourages higher scholastic achievement, cultivates a desire for personal excellence, and helps top students find success in today's highly competitive workplace. The list of secondary and post-secondary schools that have NTHS on their campuses continues to grow each year.

The national office is located on Airport Road in Flat Rock, adjacent to the campus of Blue Ridge Community College. NTHS welcomes inquiries about how to start a chapter and about its member benefits.

For information: http://www.nths.org or

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